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2020 CERTIFICATION

Consumer Confidence Report (CCR)

CACTAW Water Association
Public Water System Name

MS0100002

List PWS ID #s for all Community Water Systems included in this CCR

The Federal Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA) requires each Community Public Water System (PWS) to develop and distribute a Consumer Confidence Report (CCR) to its customers each year. Depending on the population served by the PWS, this CCR must be mailed or delivered to the customers, published in a newspaper of local circulation, or provided to the customers upon request. Make sure you follow the proper procedures when distributing the CCR.

CCR DISTRIBUTION (Check all boxes that apply.)

INDIRECT DELIVERY METHODS (Attach copy of publication, water bill or other)	DATE ISSUED
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Advertisement in local paper (Attach copy of advertisement)	5/12/21
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> On water bills (Attach copy of bill)	MAY/21
<input type="checkbox"/> Email message (Email the message to the address below)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	
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<input type="checkbox"/> Distributed via U. S. Postal Mail	
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<input type="checkbox"/> Published in local newspaper (attach copy of published CCR or proof of publication)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Posted in public places (attach list of locations)	
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CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the CCR has been distributed to the customers of this public water system in the form and manner identified above and that I used distribution methods allowed by the SDWA. I further certify that the information included in this CCR is true and correct and is consistent with the water quality monitoring data provided to the PWS officials by the MSDH, Bureau of Public Water Supply.

Name

Title

Date

SUBMISSION OPTIONS (Select one method ONLY)

You must email, fax (not preferred), or mail a copy of the CCR and Certification to the MSDH.

Mail: (U.S. Postal Service)

Email: water.reports@msdh.ms.gov

MSDH, Bureau of Public Water Supply

Fax: (601) 576-7800

(NOT PREFERRED)

P.O. Box 1700

Jackson, MS 39215

CCR DEADLINE TO MSDH & CUSTOMERS: BY JULY 1, 2021

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2020 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report
 Choctaw Water Association
 PWS#: 0100002
 April 2021

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Parts per billion (ppb) or Micrograms per liter - one part per billion corresponds to one minute in 2,000 years, or a single penny in \$10,000,000.

TEST RESULTS								
Contaminant	Violation Y/N	Date Collected	Level Detected	Range of Detects or # of Samples Exceeding MCL/ACL	Unit Measure -ment	MCLG	MCL	Likely Source of Contamination
Inorganic Contaminants								
10. Barium	N	2020	.0898	No Range	ppm	2	2	Discharge of drilling wastes; discharge from metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits

13. Chromium	N	2020	.9	No Range	ppb	100	100	Discharge from steel and pulp mills; erosion of natural deposits
14. Copper	N	2017/19*	.8	0	ppm	1.3	AL=1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives
17. Lead	N	2017/19*	2	0	ppb	0	AL=15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits
16. Fluoride	N	2020	.653	No Range	ppm	4	4	Erosion of natural deposits; water additive which promotes strong teeth; discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories
19. Nitrate (as Nitrogen)	N	2020	1.37	No Range	ppm	10	10	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits
Sodium	N	2019*	6500	No Range	ppb	0	0	Road Salt, Water Treatment Chemicals, Water Softeners and Sewage Effluents.

Disinfection By-Products

82. TTHM [Total trihalomethanes]	N	2019*	4.35	No Range	ppb	0	80	By-product of drinking water chlorination.
Chlorine	N	2020	.4	.4 – .6	mg/l	0	MDRL = 4	Water additive used to control microbes

* Most recent sample. No sample required for 2020.

This public water system received a violation for not submitting a 2021 Annual Report. The report was completed, and this system was returned as compliant.

As you can see by the table, our system had no contaminant violations. We're proud that your drinking water meets or exceeds all Federal and State requirements. We have learned through our monitoring and testing that some contaminants have been detected however the EPA has determined that your water IS SAFE at these levels.

We are required to monitor your drinking water for specific contaminants on a monthly basis. Results of regular monitoring are an indicator of whether or not our drinking water meets health standards. In an effort to ensure systems complete all monitoring requirements, MSDH now notifies systems of any missing samples prior to the end of the compliance period.

If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. Our water system is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline or at <http://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead>. The Mississippi State Department of Health Public Health Laboratory offers lead testing. Please contact 601.576.7582 if you wish to have your water tested.

To comply with the "Regulation Governing Fluoridation of Community Water Supplies", the TOWN OF ACKERMAN is required to report certain results pertaining to fluoridation of our water system. The number of months in the previous calendar year in which average fluoride sample results were within the optimal range of 0.6-1.2 ppm was 11. The percentage of fluoride samples collected in the previous calendar year that was within the optimal range of 0.6-1.2 ppm was 92%.

All sources of drinking water are subject to potential contamination by substances that are naturally occurring or man made. These substances can be microbes, inorganic or organic chemicals and radioactive substances. All drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that the water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency's Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 1.800.426.4791.

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by cryptosporidium and other microbiological contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline 1.800.426.4791.

Last year a new fire hydrant was installed on Dido Road. Another is scheduled to be installed for the Salem Church Area. We are continually improving the system to provide good water quality and service to our members.

CCHS' Jewell competes in State golf tourney

By Laurence Hilliard
Choctaw Plaindealer
Choctaw County jun-

ior Connor Jewell shot
rounds of 82 and 91 at
the 3A state match at
the 6339-yard, Par 71

Hillandale Golf Course
in Corinth. He was
even par on the front
nine the first round.

Jewell qualified for
the match as an indi-
vidual by shooting an
84 at the district match
not qualify as a team.

Jewell also pays base-
ball and football.

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VOTE TUESDAY, JUNE 8, 2021

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INVITATION FOR BIDS
FOREST PRODUCTS FOR
SALE
ON COUNTY SCHOOL LANDS
Sealed bids will be received by
the Choctaw County School
District, Ackerman, Mississippi up
to and not later than 10:00 A. M. on
May 10th 2021, for the right to pur-
chase all timber marked or desig-
nated for that purpose in Section 16,
Township 19N, Range 10E,
Choctaw County, Mississippi.

Before bids are submitted, full
information concerning the materi-
al for sale, conditions of sale, and
submission of bids should be
obtained from the Area Forester,
Mississippi Forestry Commission,
Starkville, Mississippi (662-891-
3620).

The right to reject any and all
bids is reserved.
Publish: 4/14, 4/21, 4/28, 5/5/2021

LEGAL NOTICE

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RESPONSE IS NOT SO MAILED
OR DELIVERED, A JUDGMENT
BY DEFAULT WILL BE
ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR
THE MONEY OR OTHER RELIEF
DEMANDED IN THE COM-
PLAINT.

You must also file the original of
your Response with the Clerk of this
Court within a reasonable time
afterward.

Issued under my hand and the
seal of said Court, this 30 day of
April, 2021.

/S/ STEVE MONTGOMERY
Chancery Clerk of Choctaw
County, Mississippi

By: LAILA HENSON, D. C.

Publish: 5/5, 5/12, 5/19/2021

IN THE CHANCERY COURT
OF CHOCTAW COUNTY, MISSIS-
SIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE
ESTATE OF
JOHN ROBERT PUGH, JR.,
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SERVICE ADDRESS		
601 MS HWY 9		
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98110	95030	3080
CHARGE FOR SERVICES		

WTR 24.32
NET DUE >>> 24.32

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CHARGE FOR SERVICES		

WTR 20.00
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ACKERMAN, MS 39735-0086

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PAY NET AMOUNT ON OR BEFORE DUE DATE	DUE DATE	PAY GROSS AMOUNT AFTER DUE DATE
	05/20/2021	
NET AMOUNT	SAVE THIS	GROSS AMOUNT
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